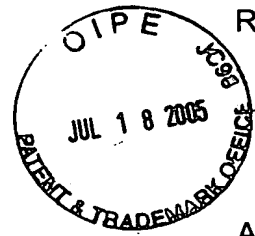


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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This paper is in response to the Official Action of March 17, 2005, in connection with the above-identified application.

A petition for a one-month extension of time together with the appropriate fees accompanies this response so that it is timely filed.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.